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Mr. Lynn Farnol
Cigar Institute of America, Inc.
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New York, New York

Dear Mr. Farnol:

Your handsome humidor with its alphabetized Havanas was presented to me on my return this week. If the similarity be due to plagiarism on our part, your generous gift has made plagiarism a happy practice. I only hope that when our callers leave with a good cigar, they will associate this CIA with their pleasant recollections of the CIA on your labels.

Sincerely,

Walter B. Smith

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Director

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